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*Fringe on Top*  
**Oklahoma Comes to ORR**  
 By Kenneth J. Souza

There are some now-legendary musicals that have become embedded in the fabric of Americana. People may instantly think of *The Sound of Music*, or maybe *West Side Story*. But true American classics like *Oklahoma* only seem to ripen with age. With songs as catchy as they are clever, this first-ever Rodgers and Hammerstein collaboration is always open to interpretation and revision — much like the bulk of Shakespeare's work.

To that end, the Old Rochester Regional Junior



**Above:** Eager players in the Oceaneer's Soccer Club recently earned trophies for their participation in the league this past season during a ceremony held at the Dexter Lane fields in Rochester. In just its second year, the league has more than doubled its membership with a high concentration coming from Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester. The 2006 season will conclude with a Jamboree on Saturday, November 11 starting at 9:00 am at the Dexter Lane Fields. (Photo by Robert Chiarito).

**On the cover:** Members of the Old Rochester Regional Junior High School Drama Club rehearse for their production of *G2K ... Oklahoma* to be staged on Thursday, November 9 at 7:00 pm in the ORR Junior High School Auditorium. Tickets are now on sale and are \$8 for adults and \$5 for students or senior citizens. Tickets are available from any cast or crew member or by calling the ORR Junior High School office at 508-758-4928. (Photo by Kenneth J. Souza).

High School Drama Club will present a unique production titled *G2K ... Oklahoma* on Thursday, November 9 at 7:00 pm in the ORR Junior High School Auditorium.

"G2K" means, "getting to know," and is the trademark for a series of Rodgers and Hammerstein musicals adapted specifically for junior high students.

These shortened, 50- to 70-minute versions of full-length musicals still contain the essence of the story and plot, according to the online study guide provided to G2K educators, but they have also been transposed into keys which better-suit younger voices.

The story is set in a western territory just after the turn of the century and tells of the high-spirited rivalry between local farmers and the relationship between the handsome cowboy Curly, played by Connor Bailey, and Laurey, a winsome farm girl played by Mikayla Florio.

Among ORR's stellar cast is Holly Cardoza as the ever-wise Aunt Eller; Alex Calise as her farmhand, Jud; Nathan Reynolds as Andrew Carnes, the father of Ado Annie (Jillian Zucco), a young girl smitten with both Will

**Right:** Martin A. Smith, US Army (retired), of Mattapoisett will be the Principal Speaker at the town's Annual Veterans Day Ceremonies to be held on Saturday, November 11 at 11:00 am at Old Hammondtown School. Mr. Smith and his wife, Florrie, summered for many years in Mattapoisett before moving to town permanently in 1989. (Photo courtesy of Paula Butterfield).



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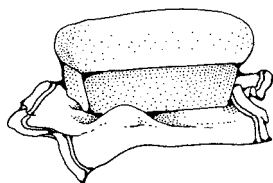
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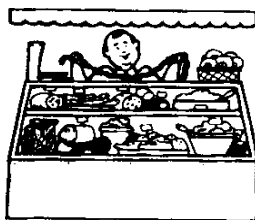
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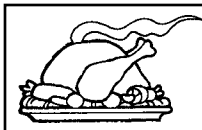
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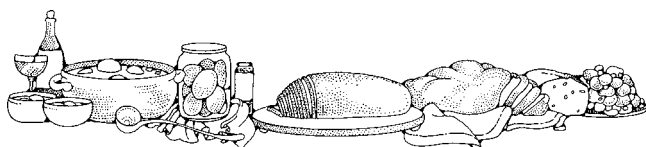
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## Troop Helps Troops

### Scouts Sending Care Packages Abroad By Robert Chiarito

In late 2004, Dylan DeSilva, a Boy Scout from Cape Cod, decided that he wanted to do something for troops stationed in Iraq and Afghanistan. Dylan began to collect items to be put into care packages that would then be sent to soldiers stationed overseas. This simple and selfless idea that started as a Boy Scouts' project has become nothing less than a movement. Dylan's efforts led him to form the non-profit organization "Cape Cod Cares For Our Troops."

Through his organization Dylan has sent parcels filled with everything from small treats such as snacks and candy bars, to basic necessities like shampoo and soap, to donated gifts which have included DVDs and portable DVD players giving the soldiers that receive the packages a sense of normalcy and the knowledge that their sacrifices are appreciated by the people at home.

To date, Dylan has sent well over a 1,000 care packages to the troops. According to Defense Department rules, packages must be sent directly to a specific individual and no anonymous parcels can be sent. To that end, Dylan has been working with Defense Department officials to procure the names of soldier deployed overseas making each parcel a personalized gift.

Locally, the Boys Scouts of Mattapoisett's Troop 53 decided to join Dylan in his efforts. The Scouts of Troop 53, under the supervision of Scoutmaster Ron Ellis, have been collecting items for care packages and have begun a letter-writing campaign through which they send thank

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you notes recognizing the soldiers' service. The troop has extended their efforts to include local Cub Scout groups and has invited classes at local schools to contribute letters and items as well.

As scouts the boys must earn merit badges promoting citizenship in the Community, the Nation and the World to achieve the honor of Eagle Scout. Mr. Ellis hopes this project will not only help the troops overseas but also instill a sense of citizenship and respect for the soldiers' sacrifices within his Boy Scout Troop. Mr. Ellis recently said, "If our boys can write a letter to someone stationed in Iraq or Afghanistan, or wherever the mission takes them, and it makes a difference, by reminding them that people back home do care, and appreciate their service,

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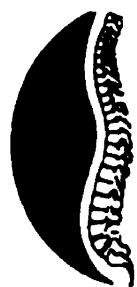


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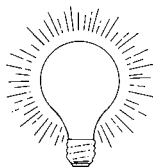
then it will all be worth the effort."

This Saturday, November 11, the Mattapoisett Boy Scouts will be collecting items to be included in care packages that will be sent to soldiers currently deployed overseas during the town's Annual Veterans Day Ceremonies to be held at Old Hammondtown School. Scouts will be collecting donated items from the community before and after the 11:00 am ceremony. "Dear Soldier" letters, and pictures drawn for the troops by children in our community are also welcome additions to a care package. Please help them support our current men and women in uniform by contributing a few items for care packages that will let them know the folks back home care.

If you wish to make donations directly to the Mattapoisett Troop 53, you can also bring your gift to the troops weekly meeting held each Tuesday night at 7:00 pm at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church Hall. Those wishing to donate items to the cause are encouraged to provide items from the following lists provided by Cape Cod Cares For Our Troops:

- **Personal Items:** insect lotion, eye drops/wash, foot powder, hair bands, hair brushes, hand sanitizer, hand wipes, Kleenex, lotion, mouth wash, Q-tips, shampoo, conditioner, shaving items, shower gel, sun screen, toothbrushes and toothpaste (NOTE: all toiletries should be travel-size items) ;

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Cape Cod Cares For Our Troops also accepts monetary donations that they use to purchase items from the list. If you wish to make donations directly to Troop 53, you can bring your gifts to the troops' weekly meeting held each Tuesday night at 7:00 pm at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church Hall. If you would like more information about Cape Cod Cares For Our Troops you can find them on the web at [www.capecod4thetroops.com](http://www.capecod4thetroops.com).

### *Goal Oriented*

### **Soccer Club Boasts Fun and Games**

**By Robert Chiarito**

"It's all about having fun" announced the banner that welcomed players and parents to the Oceaneer's Soccer Club's Second Annual Awards Ceremony held on Saturday, November 4 at the Dexter Lane Fields in Rochester. The league, which is affiliated with the US Youth Soccer and Mass Youth Soccer associations, awarded trophies to each child who participated in play this season.

In the spirit of having fun, Oceaneer's Soccer emphasizes the importance of team play, healthy physical activity and friendly competition over a winning at all costs attitude. Every child who is a member of one of the club's teams is guaranteed playing time each game. Apparently word of the club's goals has spread throughout the tri-town area as membership more than doubled from about 170 players during their first season in 2005 to about 400 participants this season according to league official Jorge Figuerido. "We've had a really good turn out this year," Mr. Figuerido said. "It's been a lot of fun."

The season opened in September and concludes with a Jamboree this Saturday, November 11 starting at 9:00 am at the Dexter Lane Fields. Teams are comprised of children ages 3 to 14 from Rochester, Marion and Matta-



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poisett as well as outlying areas that are not represented by a league of their own. The younger boys and girls compete in groups divided by age amongst one another while the older children compete against one another as well as teams from neighboring Wareham. Each team is identified by its own color and a nickname. Every child receives a uniform that is color coordinated with a matching soccer ball so kids and parents can easily identify their equipment at the end of a game or practice.

At the end of each game last Saturday, teams, coaches and parents gathered around an awards stand filled with row after row of golden statuettes shaped in the form of a soccer player. The coaches were given the task of calling each player to the table to offer a few words of encouragement and a trophy signifying the child's participation. For many of the kids involved, this was the first award that they had received in their lives. Faces filled with smiles and pride as children were handed their trophies and turned to find their teammates and families applauding each player's accomplishments. Many of the children held their trophies up for a few pictures as they were given a moment in the spotlight. The league mantra that day really was all about having fun.

If you would like to have your child participate next season or would simply like more information on the Oceaneer's Soccer Club, please visit their website at [www.oceaneersyouthsoccerclub.com](http://www.oceaneersyouthsoccerclub.com).

If you would like a first-hand view of the league and their games, Saturday's Jamboree finale is open to everyone.

### Marion Selectmen's Meeting

*November 7, 2006*

**By Kenneth J. Souza**

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lectmen was called to order on Tuesday, November 7 at 7:00 pm by Chairman Andrew Jeffrey. Also present were Selectman Jonathan Henry, Selectman Roger Blanchette, Interim Town Administrator Julia Enroth-Whitlock, and Secretary Helene Craver.

The board first had a moment of silence in memory of the recent passing of longtime resident John Farnham. The board also approved the minutes of the October 17 regular meeting and then met with Police Chief Lincoln Miller at 7:05 pm to discuss his pending trip to attend a training program at the FBI Academy at the beginning of next year.

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Chief Miller said his second-in-command, Lieutenant John Garcia, will be in charge while he is away and will handle the day-to-day operations in the interim.

"I think it is a great honor for the Town of Marion," Selectman Henry said. "I hope you will pass it on to the rest of the department when you get back."

At 7:10 pm the board met with Department of Public Works (DPW) Superintendent Rob Zora to discuss three requests for sewer connections and extensions.

According to Mr. Zora, the first is a sewer connection crossing Route 6 at the high-pressure line running from Creek Road which has been requested by Harding Sails of Mill Street.

"This is a previously approved connection," Mr. Zora said. "Now they're asking to hook up two adjacent lots. I agree with the plan I've seen and they should be allowed to tie into the sewer line. They have a sewer easement on file."

With that, the board unanimously approved the additional sewer line connections as proposed by Harding Sails and approved by Mr. Zora.

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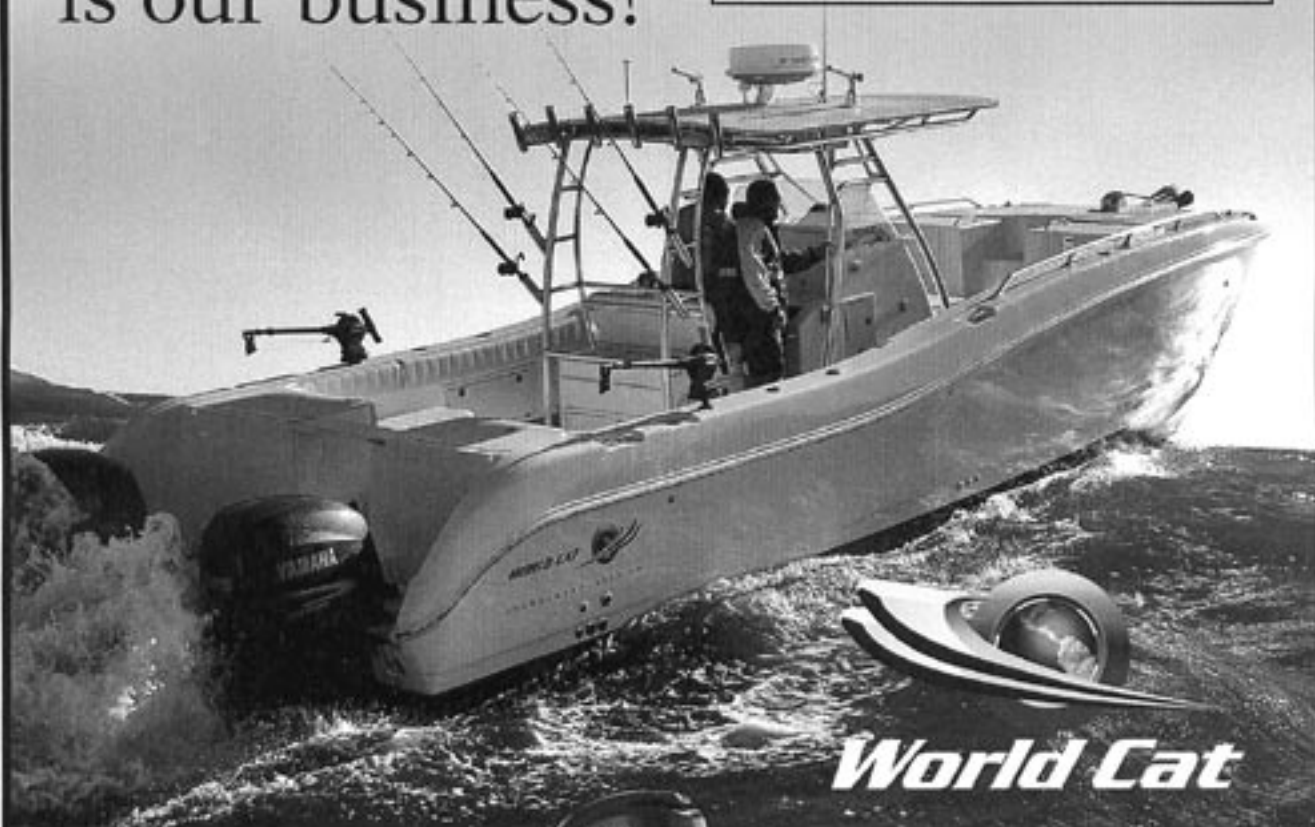
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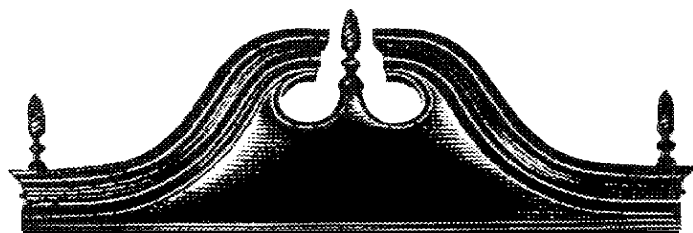


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490 and 498 Mill Street was proposed for Tabor Academy. Mr. Zora said he would like to table this request because he is concerned about both load and flow in that area and would like to do further research to ensure the sewer line can handle these additional connections.

"This would ... be considered a sewer extension and not a sewer connection," Mr. Zora wrote in a memo to the board. "Any more sewer extensions should be looked at very closely due to questionable plant capacity. A better understanding of the (inflow and infiltration) situation as well as the load and flow capacities of the treatment plant is needed before any sewer extensions should be approved."

The board unanimously voted to table this request as recommended by Mr. Zora.

Lastly, the board received a request from Steven E. Gibbs of Gibbs Plumbing and Heating to tie his business located at 115 Wareham Street into the sewer line.

As with the Tabor Academy request, Mr. Zora suggested tabling this matter to determine if the plant's capacity could handle the additional load.

"As you know the D'Italia property (adjacent to Mr. Gibbs' property) is currently under construction ... so I wonder if it would be prudent to allow the (connection) so as to avoid digging up the road again in the future?" asked Selectman Henry.

"The Gibbs property is being used as his company office," Selectman Blanchette said. "There are no show-

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"This is an extension," said Ms. Enroth-Whitlock. "If you allow this extension, how can you say 'no' to the next person who comes in with a similar request? We have a list of requests and we've (denied them) until we can determine the capacity (of our treatment plant)."

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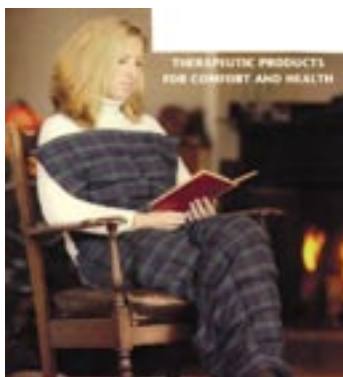
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the permit (limits) in the future."

Chairman Jeffrey said they plan to have an open meeting within two months once the DPW and town engineers have completed a study of the treatment plant's capacity at which time they can better address such sewer connection requests.

"I think you all know, deep-down, that this connection is maybe (outside) your sewer policies and is valid and warranted," said Steven Gibbs, who was present at the meeting. "You have the right to look at each connection or extension request that comes before you. I think it makes sense to open up a sewer connection to this commercial area."

"All I'm asking is that we hear professional people discuss this so we're not making statements that may or may not be true," Chairman Jeffrey said.

With that, Mr. Gibbs' request for a sewer extension was tabled via majority vote, with Selectman Blanchette in sole opposition.

In other matters, the board:

- Approved a conservation restriction for the Sippican Lands Trust for property which abuts the bike path. This restriction will require further Town Meeting action to be approved.

- Approved \$99,807.77 in Water Department liens.

- Voted to award the winning bid for the surplus Harbormaster's Patrol Boat to the second highest bidder,

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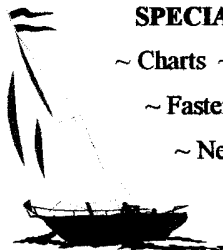
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Victor Brier, at a price of \$8,157. The highest bidder, Tim Ciaffoni, rescinded his bid of \$15,000.

- Voted to sign and approve a revised agreement between the Town of Marion and Old Rochester Community Television (ORCTV) Inc. to include Verizon as a cable service provider in addition to Comcast.

- Voted to close the Marion Town House on Wednesday, November 22 at 12:00 noon and closing all day on Thursday, November 23 and Friday, November 24 for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Likewise, Ms. Enroth-Whitlock wanted to remind residents that the Marion Town House would be closed on Friday, November 10 in observance of the Saturday, November 11 Veterans Day Holiday.



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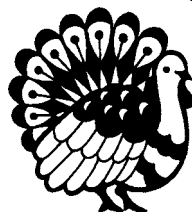
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• Voted to prohibit all motorized and All-Terrain Vehicles (ATVs) from using the railroad bed/bike path property as per a recommendation from Ms. Enroth-Whitlock and Police Chief Lincoln Miller due to increased complaints.

There being no further matters to discuss in Open Session, they unanimously voted to go into Executive Session at 8:17 pm to consider preliminary screening of candidates for employment. They would thereafter adjourn for the evening.

### Rochester Selectmen's Meeting

*November 6, 2006*

**By Kenneth J. Souza**

A regular meeting of the Rochester Board of Selectmen was called to order on Monday, November 6 at 7:00 pm by Chairman pro tem Richard Nunes. Also present were Selectman Dan A. McGaffey, and Administrative Assistant Veronica Lafreniere. Selectman Bradford N. Morse and Town Administrator James Huntoon were not present for the meeting.

The board first approved the minutes of the October 30 meeting, then met with the members of the Personnel Board at 7:00 pm.

According to Personnel Board Chairman Paul Hughes, they wanted to clarify their role in proposing personnel by-law changes at Town Meeting in light of the recent Special Town Meeting article.

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"I wasn't at the (Special) Town Meeting ... and we wanted to know our role with changing the (Personnel) By-Laws," Mr. Hughes said. "We weren't aware of the (Town Meeting) article."

"Because it was a personnel matter, (it) should have been passed along to (the Personnel Board) to weigh in on," Selectman Nunes agreed. "Unfortunately, that didn't happen, and on behalf of the Board of Selectmen I want to apologize."

"It was concerning to me that (the by-law change) didn't come from the Personnel Board," said Personnel Board member Kelly Sullivan-Morgado. "You wouldn't want to see zoning changes made that didn't come from the Zoning (Board of Appeals)."

"Hopefully this won't happen again," Selectman Nunes said. "It was awkward for us, it was awkward for (the Personnel Board), and it shouldn't have happened."

Personnel Board member Richard Wisniewski said this points up the ongoing lack of communication between the Board of Selectmen and the Personnel Board.

"We're talking about two months' of lapse time where there's no communication between the Board of Selectmen and the Personnel Board," Mr. Wisniewski said. "I mean, you knew the article was going to be on the (Town Meeting warrant)."

Another matter for discussion was the Personnel Board's recent request for \$6,000 in funding to hire Taber Associates to review and revise the town's compensation

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plan for employees. All members of the Personnel Board felt this was a priority item and they wanted to have this completed before the next Annual Town Meeting.

"The Temporary Town Accountant was also hired without the Personnel Board being notified," added Ms. Sullivan-Morgado.

"That's another communication issue ... but the (Personnel By-Laws) are really short and really simple," Mr. Hughes said. "What we're afraid of is the slippery slope ... if you let little things go, what's going to happen?"

With respect to the interview process for the finalists seeking the Town Administrator's position, Selectman Nunes noted the final interviews will be done in an open



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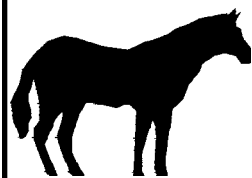
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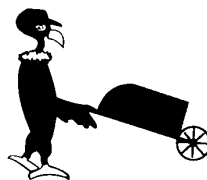
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meeting and the public will be welcome to sit in on those proceedings. Selectman McGaffey said they have narrowed the field down to a "handful of candidates" from some 26 applicants and they plan to interview the final few very soon.

Lastly, Mr. Hughes noted the Personnel Board is seeking annual evaluations of town employees from department heads, which will greatly help them in determining the step and grade for each position. The deadline for submitting these evaluations to the Personnel Board is January 31, 2007.

At 7:25 pm the board met with the members of the Board of Assessors (BOA) to continue the Tax Classification Hearing begun on October 23, 2006. At that time the Assessors were awaiting some final numbers from the state.

"Now that we have all the figures, we can inform you that the excess levy capacity of the town is \$88,794.15 (for the fiscal year)," said Assessor John Mello. "Based on our calculations, we'll be using about 99 percent of our levy capacity, or leaving about one percent on the table. We can also say that based on these numbers, our tax rate (for 2007) will be \$8.96 per \$1,000 valuation."

According to Assessor Jana Cavanaugh, the tax bills are projected to be mailed the last week of November, with payments due by January 1, 2007. These figures, though fairly accurate, are also subject to change before the final tax bills are mailed to residents.



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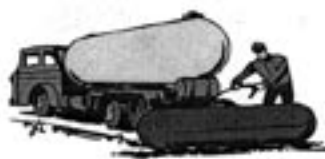
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"We've spoken with the Town of Marion as far as extending the water main about 3,800 feet," Mr. Walker said. "This would require the Town of Rochester to request the water main extension ... that's what we're here tonight to ask."

Highway Surveyor Jeff Eldridge said he reviewed the plans and in addition to the developer providing a 12-inch stub connection at Cushman Road, he would also like to see a 6-inch stub installed at Sylvia Street. These could later be used to tap into the water line for future water users. Mr. Walker said that shouldn't be a problem.

Although they seemed to support the project at face value, the board agreed to defer voting to make the formal request of Marion until the complete Board of Selectmen was present.

Under correspondence, the board received an invitation from Mattapoisett-Rochester Veterans Agent Barry J. Denham to participate in the Town of Mattapoisett's Sesquicentennial Parade to be held on Saturday, August 4, 2007 at 10:00 am to commemorate Mattapoisett's 150th

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There being no further matters to come before the board, they unanimously voted to adjourn for the evening at 7:40 pm.

### Sports Shorts

By Robert Chiarito

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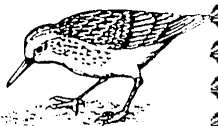
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and heavy winds plagued golfers throughout the day as ORR finished in a seventh place tie among the 13-team field. Senior co-captain **Greg Maynard** paced the team with a low round of 88 while sophomore **Brandon Oldham**, the team's individual title qualifier, finished at 89 to give him a 12th place finish.

The **Boys Soccer Team** continued its impressive late season run by advancing to the third round of the state tournament with a 3-1 win over Old Colony Regional Voke on Friday, November 3 and by defeating fourth-seeded East Bridgewater High School 2-0 on Sunday, November 5. Juniors **Rub Muller**, **Ross Ferguson** and **Sam Crowley** each scored in the win over Old Colony while Kyle Amicucci and co-captain **Tim Mathews** scored in the win over East Bridgewater. The Bulldogs were scheduled to face 12th-seeded Carver in a quarterfinal game at 2:30 on Tuesday, November 7. The team sports a record of 10-6-4 entering Tuesday's play. Results were not available at press time.

The **Lady Bulldogs Soccer Team** did not fare as well as they fell 6-2 at Holliston High School in their first round tournament match on Friday, November 3. The team ended their season with a record of 8-7-3. The **Girls Field Hockey Team** saw their season come to sudden and surprising end as they fell 1-0 in a sudden death shoot out loss to 15th seed Seekonk High School in the first round of MIAA South Sectional Tournament on Friday, November 3. The number two rated Bulldogs played Seekonk to a

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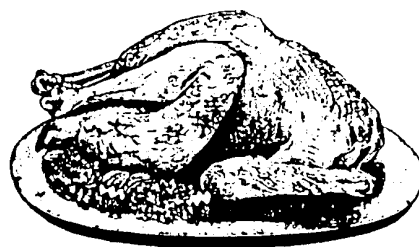
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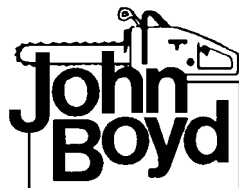
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scoreless tie through regulation play and two overtime periods before falling 3-1 in the shootout. The loss was only the second of the year for the team that finished the season 15-2-3.

In **Football** action, ORR fell to Fairhaven High School as FHS scored the game-winning touchdown and two-point conversion with only nine-tenths of a second left in the game. The loss left the Bulldogs with a record of 5-4 on the year with a 4-2 mark in South Coast Conference play. **Nick Martin** lead the team in rushing for the second week in a row with 113 yards on 16 carries with two touchdowns. **Reed Bacchiocchi** scored ORR's other touchdown on a 45-yard fumble return of a kickoff in the third quarter. Bacchiocchi was his usual efficient self under center as the quarterback threw 127 yards while completing 13-18 passes with no interceptions. The team faces Wareham High School at David Hagen Field on Friday night, November 10 at 7:00 pm.

In other tournament news, the **ORR Ladies' Cross Country Team** finished with a fourth place finish at the SCC Championships. **Tiffany Rozenas** was the Lady Bulldogs' top finisher with a time of 22:46:1 that was good enough for a 14th place finish and a fine top 20 showing. The **Boys Cross Country Team** scored a seventh place finish in the SCC Championships with **Jared Dourdeville** leading the team with a time of 18:01:6 and a 15th place finish.

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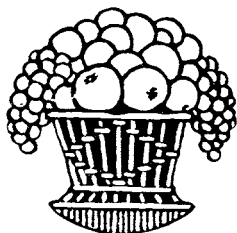
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Old Rochester Regional High School Head Football Coach **Henry Quinlan** is organizing the first **Alumni Football Dinner Reunion**. All players, current and former, cheerleaders, parents, and friends are invited. It will take place on Wednesday evening, **November 22**, at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Route 6 in Mattapoisett, the night before the big Thanksgiving Game. There will be a buffet dinner, music, silent auction, with special guest, retired ORR Coach **Craig Sherman**, as well as other alumni speakers. The time and tickets were yet to be determined ... but please pass the word and keep posted for further details of this great opportunity to reconnect and celebrate ORR Football, past and present.

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- **Under 12 Girls:** The Mariner U12 Girls posted a decisive 3-0 victory over the Inter Bandits SC out of Boston on Sunday. Mariner created a lot of early pressure on the Inter Bandits' keeper and got on the scoreboard within the first 5 minutes when Acushnet's **Sammy Bucknell** scored off an assist from Dartmouth's **Nicole Fusaro**. **Tori Vargas** of New Bedford scored twice more for the Mariner girls to put them up 3-0 at the half. The Mariner defense took over in the second half, with strong play from Wareham's **Madison Catarius**, Freetown's **Andrea Chaput**, Mattapoisett's **Katie Wilbur**, Dartmouth's **Morgan Gidley** and New Bedford's **Sydney DaCosta**. Mariner keeper **Morgan Stott** of Dartmouth played solid in goal all match

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to post the shutout. The Mariner U12 Girls' final match of the fall season will be at home at 3:00 pm on November 12 against the first place Sachem FC squad out of Winchester.

• **Under 13 Girls:** The Mariner U13 Girls traveled to Millis for a match against Elite SA on Sunday, with the Mariner team prevailing by a final score of 4-0 to remain undefeated. Forward **Kadi Souza** put Mariner on the scoreboard within the first ten minutes of the first half on a well placed shot to the upper corner of the goal. **Phoebe Cady** notched another goal for Mariner on a huge blast from outside the 18 to give Mariner a 2-0 lead at the half. Mariner forwards **Gabrielle Kondracki**, **Alex Medeiros** and **Darian Silva** passed the ball beautifully to help Mariner mount a relentless offensive attack deep into the Elite SA's defensive third.

Outside midfielders **Cali Warner** and **Laura Bichajian** also played flawlessly in support of the Mariner attack. Center midfielder **Alexis Eusebio** notched the final two goals within the last ten minutes of the second half on well-placed shots from outside the 18. **Allyson Pontes** and **Gina Georgadarellis** assisted on the second half goals. Mariner defensive backs **Korinna Tsonis**, **Kendall Fox**, **Amy Craig**, **Haley Nisbet** and **Mollie Beaulieu** stopped all offensive attacks initiated by Elite SA. Goal-keeper **Marissa Ciampi** played another great game in goal to help post Mariner's fifth shutout of the season. On November 12, the Mariner U13 Girls will travel to Stonehill College for a 1:00 pm match against the first place

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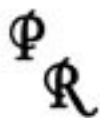


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I am doing a Community Service Project as a seventh grader that requires I, as well as other students, write a letter of gratitude and hopefulness to the soldiers in Iraq and Afghanistan at this holiday time of year. Thanksgiving is a time for family togetherness. We should let the soldiers know we appreciate them and that they are not forgotten. I am asking that you write the soldiers a letter expressing your thanks and I will be forwarding them to our United States soldiers from Massachusetts. If you are able, a phone card would also be appreciated.

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Simonne J. Conlon, Principal of Old Rochester Regional Junior High School, recently announced the following Students of the Month for October 2006:

- GREEN TEAM – **Cassandra Mello** and **Michael Tiger**;
- ORANGE TEAM – **Emily Roseman** and **Ian Knapton**;
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### Marion Flu Clinics

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Filling out the forms correctly can eliminate delays which might jeopardize aid packages. The financial aid forms will be available at this meeting and will then be available in the Guidance Office during school hours. Each family, however, will be issued only one copy of the forms due to supply limitation.

### Harborside Christmas Fair

On Saturday, December 2, Saint Anthony's Church on Barstow Street in Mattapoisett will be holding its annual Harborside Christmas Fair from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. Proceeds will defray church expenses and to provide scholarships to deserving seniors. The fair will feature a Grand Raffle with the first prize of \$500, Attic Treasures, Children's Table, Bakery Table, Christmas Gift Table and many other events. The luncheon will feature Shepherd's pie donated by the Kinsale Inn, Chowder and Kale Soup from the Seaport Village Ice Cream Shop. Please plan to join them. Also on that day there will be other events in the village including the Annual Tree Lighting, the Historical Society's Open House at 3:00 pm, and the Village Stroll to view the decorated doorways. It should be a great way to start the holiday season.

A Children's Cookbook will be available at Saint Anthony's Church's Harborside Christmas Fair on Saturday, December 2. The recipes are kid-friendly either to prepare or to just enjoy. So please consider buying one for gift giving.

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The clinic will be held at the Rochester Senior Center, 67 Dexter Lane. Please remember to wear short-sleeve tops. In the case of long lines, eligible insulin-dependent diabetics and those on portable oxygen thanks



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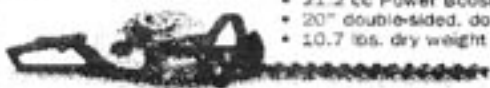


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### Sippican Christmas Concert

The Sippican Choral Society, 90 voices strong, will present its annual Christmas Concert in two venues. On Friday, December 1 at 8:00 pm, the first performance will be held at Grace Episcopal Church on County Street in New Bedford. The second performance will be held on Sunday, December 3 at Wickenden Chapel on Spring Street in Marion.

A balanced selection of sacred and secular music promises to inspire and entertain, the 2006 Christmas program includes works by Vivaldi, Handel, and Mendelssohn. The Sippican Chamber Choir will offer folk carols, and as has become a tradition, the audience will be invited to join in singing familiar Christmas carols.

The Sippican Choral Society will perform under the direction of Brian Roderick and accompanied by pianist Michelle Gordon. Tickets are \$10 and will be available at the door.

### Mattapoisett Maconchu Club

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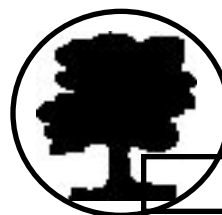
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### ORR Meets Matchmaker

The comedy *The Matchmaker* will be presented by  
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*The Matchmaker*, a play by Thornton Wilder that  
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ORR Drama Club members will collect canned goods at each performance and are asking audience members to please bring a non-perishable item. Throughout the upcoming holiday season, ornaments will be placed in local hair and nail salons for those who are able to donate a gift to a child. Each ornament has the age of a child and an item that they would love to have. For more information on Making Spirits Bright, please go to [www.making-spiritsbright.net](http://www.making-spiritsbright.net).

*The Matchmaker* will be presented Thursday through Saturday, November 16, 17 and 18 at 7:30 pm, and Sunday, November 19 at 2:00 pm. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$8 for students and seniors. Tickets are available at the Pen and Pendulum in Mattapoissett, the Marion General Store, and the Plumb Corner Market in Rochester. Tickets will also be available at the door. ORR High School is located on Route 6 in Mattapoissett. For more

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The meetings, which feature member speakers and presentations, begin at 8:00 am and end at 9:00 am, and bring together individual businesses, schools and residents of the tri-town area, giving them the opportunity to meet with each other and foster economic growth as well as enhance the educational communities of the tri-towns.

The meeting opens with a member speaker and the guest speakers, also members of the Association, Amy Pallatrone and Christine Robichaud, both CPAs in Mattapoisett, will speak on "Tax Tips" for the small business owner and help prepare them for the 2006 tax season.

This meeting should prove to be very interesting and helpful to small business owners and members and guests are invited to join us for coffee and pastries at 7:45 am, just before the meeting begins.

For further information, please contact Pat Shea at 508-748-2689 or Bev Pierce at 508-763-5503.

### Mattapoisett Thanksgiving Walk

The Mattapoisett Land Trust invites the public to join members and friends on Saturday, November 25 from 1:00 to 3:00 pm in a celebratory Thanksgiving walk through our proposed acquisition on Brandt Island Cove. The walk will be led by Ruth Bates who will help us appreciate the biological diversity of the "special" corner of Mattapoisett.

All interested walkers should meet on the Land Trust's Ferreira Preserve on Anchorage Way at 1:00 pm from where the group will proceed through the woodlands to the salt marsh along Brandt Island Cove. While the trails are relatively dry this time of year, long pants, water-proof boots, and insect spray are highly recommended. Drinks and snacks will be provided; in case of

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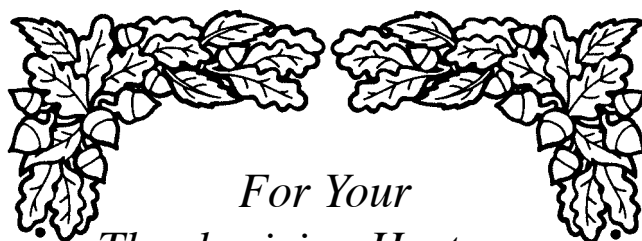
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### Marion Art Center

#### Thanksgiving Tea

The Marion Art Center is hosting several special events in the next few weeks. The first event is "Molly's Thanksgiving Tea Party" on Saturday, November 18 at 3:00 pm. This annual tradition features one of the American Girl characters in her historical setting. There will be High Tea, entertainment and a hands-on craft activity to take home. Dressed up dolls or favorite stuffed animals are encouraged to be guests at the party. Reservations are required: Tickets are \$15 for MAC members and students, \$20 for non-members. Space is limited. Please call 508-748-1266 to reserve your table.

#### Holiday Shop

The 23rd Annual Holiday Shop will be installed in both galleries at the Marion Art Center beginning November 17. The gala opening of the show will be on Friday, November 24 from 6:00 to 8:00 pm. The shop will be open Tuesday - Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm; Saturdays, 10:00 am to 5:00 pm. The show and sale runs through December 22. Admission is free.

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### **Sippican Woman's Club**

Dean Morrissey, author/illustrator of the children's book, *The Christmas Ship*, will share some of his creative inspirations as guest speaker for the Sippican Woman's Club scheduled for Friday, November 10, at Saint Gabriel's Episcopal Church Parish Hall in Marion. A self-taught artist, Mr. Morrissey worked as a freelance illustrator in New York City and became a full time artist in the 1970s. He is often known for his illustrations of children's books. The meeting will begin with a light luncheon at 12:30 pm, followed by a brief business meeting prior to the introduction of the guest speaker.

The Sippican Woman's Club House, "Handy's Tavern," will be the starting point for this year's 20th Annual Holiday House Tour. It will be decorated as a 1906 toy shop and much of the decorating member's inspiration for "Handy's Toy Shoppe" originates from Dean Morrissey's book. The tour is scheduled for Saturday, December 9, and will include five homes in and around the village of Marion and Handy's Tavern so be sure to mark your calendar. All proceeds from the tour are used

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Membership for the Sippican Woman's Club is open to any woman who resides in Marion or whose interests are in Marion. Please contact Jeanne Lake at 508-748-0619 for more information.

### **Digital Photography Workshop**

Join the Friends of the Mattapoisett Library and photographer Robert Linde for a discussion on the joys, woes and tribulations of digital photography on Sunday, November 12 at 2:00 pm at the Friends Meeting House,

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## Mattapoisett Holiday Fair

*Come one, come all to the fair!*

The Mattapoisett Congregational Church will host "the Village Country Store" holiday fair at the church on the corner of Church and Mechanic Streets on Saturday, November 11 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm. The event will feature a Children's Shopping Center with gifts for \$1; a Frozen Foods Store with delicious entrees; a handmade Needlework Store; a Special Treasures Store with decorations galore; a Village Bake Shop; a Christmas Shop; a Book Nook; and a Jewelry Store; along with many more exciting "Opportunities Buy Chance." They will also be serving morning coffee and a lunch from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm, so do come and bring a friend.

The Jewelry Store at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church Fair on November 11 has a special treat for its customers: Clip-On Earrings. They are a scarce item, but there are many of them available at the fair, some with colorful stones, novelty items, and even chandelier style. In addition, there is the usual supply of attractive earrings for pierced ears, necklaces of all lengths and types, and a plentiful choice of pins. Another feature is matching earrings and necklace sets. As a bonus: purple jewelry! You'll be pleased with the many shade of purple in this jewelry collection. Most items come boxed or can be boxed when you purchase them.

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## Marion Holiday Tour

With a theme of "Handy's Toy Shoppe," the ladies of the Sippican Woman's Club, a non-profit organization, will present their 20th Annual Holiday House Tour from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm on Saturday, December 9, 2006, *rain or shine*.

Begin your memorable tour adventure at Handy's Tavern, 152 Front Street in Marion, where participants will exchange their ticket for a brochure, a tour map and a cup of wassail. Handy's Tavern is owned by the Sippican Woman's Club and serves as its clubhouse.

All proceeds from the tour are used to support the Scholarship Awards program for Marion students seeking higher education. Scholarship awards totaling \$15,000 were awarded last year to deserving Marion students.

Historic Handy's Tavern will be transformed into a toy shop and proprietor's home from 100 years ago. Ruth Bolton and Judy Fasciana, as well as their many member volunteers, have been hard at work for months preparing for this exciting event. They have done a wonderful job recreating the authentic toys and design from years gone by.

In addition to the tavern, delight in visiting a selection of five gracious homes festively decorated for the season under the direction of Madeline Cooke of Ashwell Stenciling in Marion. Professional and design specialists will help to enhance these lovely homes. Located in the village and several waterfront locations, many of these private homes have been newly renovated. View art work, a variety of architectural styles and elegant furnishings.

Afternoon tea is included in the ticket price.

A hot holiday luncheon will be offered from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm at the First Congregational Church Community Center for \$8.50. Reservations are advised by calling 508-748-1053.

Though not a part of the tour, club members recommend tour participants also visit the Marion Art Center, located at the corner of Main and Pleasant streets as well as the Sippican Historical and Preservation Society's museum on Front Street which will be open for visitors. They also suggest perusing Marion Garden Discussion Group's holiday sale at Saint Gabriel's Parish Hall.

Tickets for the tour cost \$15 in advance and are available at the Marion General Store, Isabelle's and the Bookstall, all in Marion, or you may send a self-addressed envelope along with your check payable to the Sippican Woman's Club, P.O. Box 121, Marion, MA 02738. Tickets may be purchased for \$18 on the day of the tour at the Coldwell Banker Real Estate office at 150 Front Street, which is located right next to Handy's Tavern, or at Saint Gabriel's Parish Hall in Marion.

## Upper Cape Alumni Event

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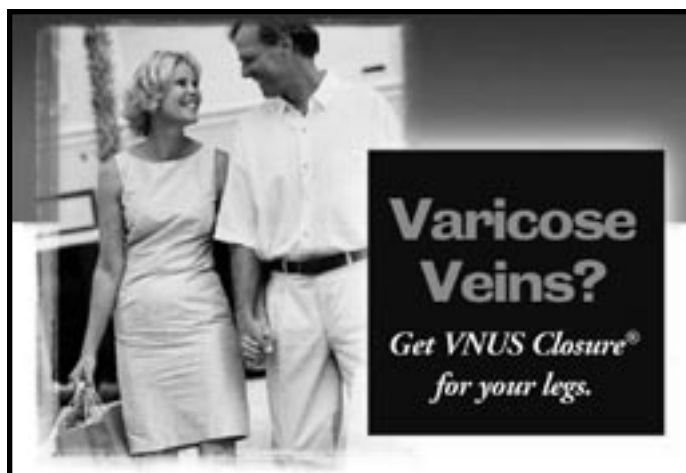


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Mr. Farr hopes "that many alumni will come to visit our new technical programs and meet some of their many classmates." Light refreshments will be served.

The Upper Cape Regional Technical High School district includes the towns of Bourne, Wareham, Sandwich, Falmouth and Marion.

### Fairhaven Concert Series

On November 19 at 2:00 pm, the Fairhaven Community Concert Series will be presenting an unplugged version of the popular group Shipyard Wreck. Shipyard Wreck is an original bluesy-funky-rock band from the South Coast of Massachusetts that writes with originality, produces original albums and performs stunning, live shows. For this special presentation, James Gagne and John Fernandes will hold down the fort with their impressive vocals and guitar work. For more information and sound samples of this great group you can visit [www.shipyardwreck.com](http://www.shipyardwreck.com).

Tickets for this concert are only \$10 will be available at the front door of the historic First Congregational Church in Fairhaven. The church is the red-brick building located at 34 Center Street in the center of town. For more information or directions for the concert series, please visit <http://home.comcast.net/~fccs/>.

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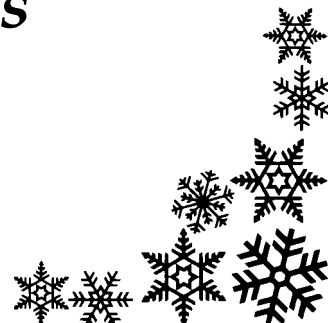
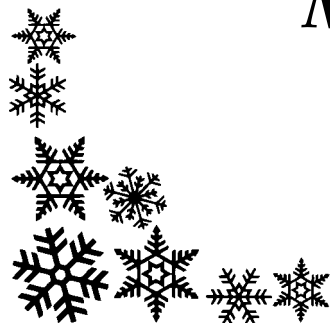
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## **Mattapoisett Church Fair**

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## **ORR Senior Thanksgiving**

On Sunday, November 19, the eighth grade students at Old Rochester Regional Junior High School will be hosting their sixteenth annual Senior Citizens Thanksgiving Buffet. Dinner will be served in the ORR cafeteria to approximately 300 seniors from the tri-town area. This buffet is an eighth grade community service project, which represents a traditional outpouring of gratitude to the seniors of the ORR community.

Students and staff are looking for support from the greater tri-town area. Donations of cash and door prizes are needed in order to make this event a success. If you would like to donate to this event, please call Paula Caswell or Kelly Ochoa at 508-758-4928.

## **Marion Social Club**

The Marion Social Club, 44 Pumping Station Road in Marion, will host a viewing of the New England Patriots vs. the Green Bay Packers on the big screen along with a Chicken Bake on Sunday, November 19. The club will open at 12:00 noon and the event will include raffles and other fun. Donation is \$10 per person and tickets can be obtained by contacting Warren at 508-748-2933.

## **Plumb Memorial Library**

### ***Fall Programs***

- Book-A-Roos for Twos (for ages 2-3): A storytime primer for toddlers, Friday at 10:30 am. Simple themed craft following a story reading. Registration is required for this program.

- Plumb Pie Storytimes (for ages 3-5): Morning and afternoon sessions on Wednesday at 10:30 am and 1:30 pm offer themed story and craft experience. Registration is required for this program.

- Chess Club (for ages 7 and up): Learn to play chess or team up with an opponent for this multi-generational event on the second Saturday of each month at 12:00 noon.

- Cafe Parlez Book Discussion Group (for ages 18 and up): Join an active group of readers on the last Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm for an interactive discussion of a selected book. Themed refreshments are served at each meeting.

- Knitters and Quilters Club (for ages 18 and

up): A gathering of beginners and experienced crafters exchanging ideas and skills every Monday at 6:30 pm. Adults only, please.

- Genealogy Club (for ages 18 and up): Club members share information and research of Rochester history every Thursday at 5:00 pm.

#### **Silent Auction**

The Friends of the Plumb Memorial Library are seeking hand-crafted items for their Silent Auction. The auction will be held at the their Annual Open House on Saturday, December 2 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Original artwork, knitted items, sewing projects, hand-designed jewelry, hand-painted items, and fashion notions are all welcome donations to the "Purple Auction Table."

If your hobby is to make items to give as a gift, please consider making and donating one item for the auction. All proceeds benefit the Friends of the Plumb Library, a non-profit group which funds special programs and services at the library.

For more information on this event, please contact Deb Davis, President of the Friends group, at 508-763-3921. Items can be dropped off at the library up until Friday, December 1 during regular library hours.

#### **Knitting Group**

A group of local knitters meet at the Plumb Memorial Library in Rochester on Monday evenings from 6:30 to 8:00 pm. Join them for good conversation and sharing of knitting techniques and projects. This is an adults-only evening — no children, please.

#### **Genealogy Club**

The Rochester Genealogy meets on Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 8:00 pm at the Plumb Memorial Library in Rochester. The club is made up of members interested in meeting with others in the area who are working to trace their family history. New members are always welcome. Just drop in! For more information, please call the library at 508-763-8600.

#### **Library Hours**

The Plumb Memorial Library in Rochester is open Monday, 1:00 to 8:00 pm; Tuesday, 10:00 am to 6:00 pm; Wednesday, 10:00 am to 6:00 pm; Thursday, 1:00 to 8:00 pm; Friday, 10:00 am to 5:00 pm; and Saturday, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

#### **Mattapoisett Woman's Club**

The Mattapoisett Woman's Club is celebrating its 65th year! Organized in October 1941, this milestone is being recognized with a big birthday cake featuring the club's logo: a white and blue lighthouse with beams radiating its goals of philanthropy, education, civic and social endeavors.

Chairman Blanche B. Perry and her committee are planning vignettes of the club's accomplishments. Recognition will be given to past presidents who have been invited to reminisce and re-visit with current members. The festivities will commence at 12:00 noon on Thursday,

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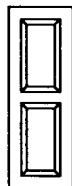
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### Rochester Church Fair

The community is cordially invited to a Holiday Fair at the First Congregational Church of Rochester on Saturday, November 11 from 9:30 am to 2:30 pm.

The fair will feature handcrafted gifts, holiday wreaths and commemorative clocks. A wide selection of items will provide the perfect decorating touch for your Thanksgiving home, a cheerful Christmas accent or a thoughtful present for someone on your holiday list. The church will also be serving food throughout the day, starting with coffee and breakfast baked goods from 9:30 am. Tasty homemade soups and sandwiches will be available for lunch. Plan to join your friends and neighbors for good food and fellowship.

The First Congregational Church is a Christ-centered, Bible-believing fellowship located on the Green in the center of Rochester. Both the church sanctuary and Holiday Craft Fair are wheelchair accessible.

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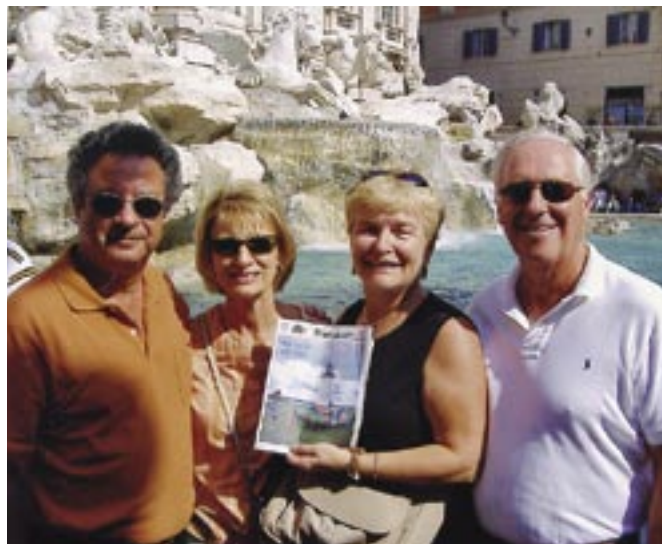




# "I'M A WANDERER"



**ABOVE:** Al and Eileen Caron of Marion recently took a long-planned 35th anniversary trip to Alaska. Here they are seen posing with *The Wanderer* at the Alaskan Pipeline in Fairbanks, Alaska. (Photo by and courtesy of Al Caron).



**ABOVE:** Seaport Ice Cream and Coffee Shop regulars Bob and Chris Gaspar and Marsha and David Kelley pose with a copy of *The Wanderer* at the Trevi Fountain in Rome during a recent trip to Italy. (Photo courtesy of Marsha Kelley).



**ABOVE:** Members of the Mattapoisett Touring Club pose with a copy of *The Wanderer* during a recent trip to Georgia and South Carolina. Here they are seen at the scenic Plantation Gardens. (Photo courtesy of Kay and Paul Levine).

Be sure to check out our "I'm A Wanderer" online photo gallery on our webpage ([www.wanderer.com](http://www.wanderer.com)), which includes many color versions of all previously published photographs. Please e-mail digital photos (JPEG or TIFF format, at least 150 dpi) to: [news@wanderer.com](mailto:news@wanderer.com), or mail sharp, well-lit color prints to: *The Wanderer*, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.



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# MOVIE REVIEW

## American Antics

By Rob Gonsalves  
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***Borat: Cultural Learnings of America for Make Benefit Glorious Nation of Kazakhstan.* Starring Sacha Baron Cohen and Ken Davitian. Directed by Larry Charles. Running time: 84 minutes. MPAA rating: R.**

*Borat* made me laugh harder and longer than any comedy since the sunnier days of *There's Something About Mary*, *The Big Lebowski*, and the *South Park* movie. Those movies, you will note, were all pre-9/11; *Borat* may be the first true post-9/11 farce, a gleeful monument of anti-American contempt, both scorning and in love with our national mood of truculent ignorance. When the crude but essentially innocent Kazakh TV reporter Borat Sagdiyev (Sacha Baron Cohen) wanders into various low-rent American rituals, the bigots and sexists stand and unfold themselves with an air of pride. Most of *Borat's* scenarios are genuine and unscripted — Baron Cohen's character interacts with actual people having actual reactions to what he says and does. The results aren't pretty. But, as another great comedian once opined, comedy is not pretty.

Accompanied by portly assistant Azamat (Ken Davitian), who's sort of Sancho Panza to Borat's don Quixote, Borat ventures from backwards Kazakhstan to New York in search of "cultural learnings" to bring back to his people. He finds very little there except a yearning for Pamela Anderson, whose bouncy form he spots on *Baywatch*. Thus, over Azamat's objections, the pair leave New York for California, passing through a variety of redneck hot spots seemingly handpicked by Baron Cohen for the sheer quantity of wrongness they can yield. Borat shows up at a rodeo, winning the crowd over by voicing his support of Bush's "war of terror" but losing them with the Kazakhstan national anthem, sung to the tune of our own but with new lyrics citing Kazakhstan's superior export of potassium.

To what extent is *Borat* — a mockumentary presuming to place a fake character among the unaware — presented in bad faith? Realistically, we know that much of what we see was meticulously pre-planned and probably set up by Baron Cohen's producers. Ed Gonzalez of Slant has theorized that some of Borat's targets, like the rodeo crowd or a Southern dinner-party group, seem to turn on him not because he's finally hit their tipping point but because they've figured out they're being duped. In that respect, *Borat* is at times a meta-comedy, getting its laughs from the *idea* of what's happening. And occasionally, as with a gentleman at the rodeo who agrees with Borat that gays should be lynched, the movie strikes



chilling gold.

Borat bumbles over to a group of black guys and asks for pointers to be more like them. Then he takes what he's learned into a snobby white hotel and is rudely ejected. *Borat* hasn't much respect for the pale or the male: in the most alarming sequence, Borat hitches a ride with a Winnebago of frat boys and listens mostly silently as they expound on how women and minorities should be slaves. Do these people forget there's a camera on them, or do they just not care? Naively homophobic and anti-Semitic, Borat stumbles into situations wherein he interacts, with varying degrees of intimacy, with Jews and gays without knowing it. The point is clear: his culture has instilled fear and loathing of The Other (including Uzbekistan) into him, for no logical reason. And we're meant to see that Borat isn't much different from many Americans that way.

By far the most uproarious sequence — you'll either hit the aisle running or hit the floor howling — has nothing much to do with Kazakh/American relations at all: naked Borat and naked Azamat in a hotel room, embroiled in a furious wrestling match over the honor of Pamela Anderson. I won't spoil it further: like the best comedy bits, just when you think it can't get any wilder, it does, and then it keeps going. Some will find it too protracted or grotesque; I had trouble breathing. But *Borat* has more on its mind than bare-ass slapstick — it's not Andy Kaufman's Foreign Man meets *Candid Camera*. At its most cutting, it uses the guileless fool Borat to lull (or provoke) people into being their ugly real selves. It'll go down as some sort of rude punk-rock snapshot of an America that quails at two men kissing (Borat favors pecking men on the cheek and lips in greeting) but cheers the notion of George W. Bush drinking the blood of "every man, woman and child in Iraq." Nope, not pretty at all.

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Friday, Nov. 10 through Thursday, Nov. 16:  
*Stranger Than Fiction* (PG-13) – 1:20, 4:00, 7:20, 9:45  
*A Good Year* (PG-13) – 1:15, 4:10, 7:05, 9:35  
*The Return* (PG-13) – 1:35, 4:30, 7:25, 9:55  
*Harsh Times* (R) – 1:30, 4:15, 7:20, 9:40  
*The Santa Claus 3: The Escape Clause* (G) – 12:45, 2:55, 5:05, 7:15, 9:15  
*Flushed Away* (PG) – 12:55, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00  
*Borat* (R) – 12:50, 2:50, 4:55, 7:35, 9:30  
*Saw III* (R) – 1:35, 4:25, 7:30, 9:50  
*The Prestige* (PG-13) – 1:05, 4:05, 6:55, 9:25  
*Marie Antoinette* (PG-13) – 1:25, 4:20, 7:10, 9:35  
*The Departed* (R) – 1:00, 3:55, 6:50, 9:45  
*Open Season* (PG) – 3:50  
*Flags of Our Fathers* (R) – 1:10, 6:45, 9:20

• FLAGSHIP CINEMA 8 •  
39 Doty Street (Route 58), Wareham, MA.  
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Friday, Nov. 10 through Thursday, Nov. 16:  
*Borat* (R) – Fri/Sat: 1:20, 4:20, 7:20; Sun-Thur: 1:20, 4:20, 7:20  
*A Good Year* (PG-13) – Fri/Sat: 1:05, 4:05, 7:15, 9:40; Sun-Thur: 1:05, 4:05, 7:15  
*Flushed Away* (PG) – Fri/Sat: 12:55, 2:55, 5:00, 7:00, 9:05; Sun-Thur: 12:55, 2:55, 5:00, 7:00  
*Santa Claus 3: Escape Clause* (G) – Fri/Sat: 12:50, 2:50, 4:55, 7:10, 9:15; Sun-Thur: 12:50, 2:50, 4:55, 7:10  
*Saw III* (R) – Fri/Sat: 1:30, 4:00, 7:25, 9:55; Sun-Thur: 1:30, 4:00, 7:25  
*The Departed* (R) – Fri/Sat: 1:00, 3:55, 6:50, 9:45; Sun-Thur: 1:00, 3:55, 6:50  
*The Prestige* (PG-13) – Fri/Sat: 1:10, 4:10, 7:05, 9:50; Sun-Thur: 1:10, 4:10, 7:05  
*Open Season* (PG) – 1:15  
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Friday, Nov. 10 through Thursday, Nov. 16:  
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*Flags of our Fathers* (R) – Fri/Sat/Sun: 12:35, 3:30, 7:25; Mon-Thur: 3:30, 7:25  
*The Queen* (PG-13) – Fri/Sat: 12:45, 3:20, 7:00, 9:15; Sun: 12:45, 3:20, 7:00; Mon-Thur: 3:20, 7:00  
*Keeping Mum* (R) – Fri/Sat: 12:55, 3:55, 7:15, 9:15; Sun: 12:55, 3:55, 7:15; Mon-Thur: 3:55, 7:15  
*Jesus Camp* (PG-13) – Fri/Sat: 1:05, 3:50, 7:30, 9:25; Sun: 1:05, 3:50, 7:30; Mon-Thur: 3:50, 7:30

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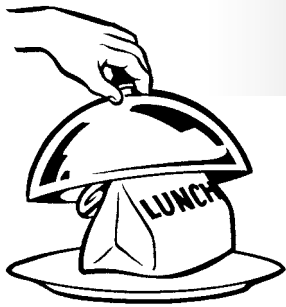
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**Monday, November 13:**  
Sausage pattie, potato puffs,  
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**Tuesday, November 14:**  
Salisbury steak, mashed  
potatoes, carrots, roll, jello.  
**Wednesday, November 15:**  
Chicken quesadilla, hot  
pocket, chips, corn, mixed  
fruit.  
**Thursday, November 16:**  
Shaved steak, French fries,  
green beans, fruit, cookie.  
**Friday, November 17:**  
Seafood salad, pizza bagel,  
pretzels, mixed vegetables,  
fruit.

## COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

**Monday, November 13:**  
Cream of broccoli soup,  
honey glazed chicken,  
whipped potatoes, whole  
wheat roll, pears in light  
syrup.  
**Tuesday, November 14:**  
American chop suey, green  
beans, multi-grain roll,  
butterscotch pudding.  
**Wednesday, November 15:**  
Beef ribs in gravy, au gratin  
potatoes, chuck wagon blend  
vegetables, whole wheat  
bread, peaches in light syrup.  
**Thursday, November 16:**  
Roasted turkey with gravy,  
cranberry sauce, whipped  
potatoes, squash, snowflake  
roll, fruit pie, graham wafer.  
**Friday, November 17:**  
Spaghetti and meatballs,  
Italian blend vegetables,  
Vienna bread, tropical fruit in  
light syrup, graham wafer.

## MATTAPOISETT - MARION - ROCHESTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

**Monday, November 13:**  
Steak and cheese on a roll,  
French fries, vegetable,  
fruit, choice of milk, turkey  
sandwich.  
**Tuesday, November 14:**  
Chicken pattie on a roll,  
potato puffs, vegetable,  
fruit, choice of milk, turkey  
sandwich.  
**Wednesday, November  
15:** Turkey, gravy, mashed  
potato, stuffing, vegetable,  
cranberry sauce, roll, fruit,  
choice of milk.  
**Thursday, November 16:**  
Spaghetti with meat sauce,  
vegetable, bread stick,  
fruit, choice of milk, turkey  
sandwich.  
**Friday, November 17:**  
Pizza dippers, vegetable,  
fruit, choice of milk, turkey  
sandwich.

## OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JR. and SR. HIGH SCHOOLS - MATTAPOISETT

**Monday, November 13:**  
Chicken penne pasta,  
vegetable roll, pizza, hot dog,  
peanut butter and jelly, bagel.  
**Tuesday, November 14:**  
Chicken pattie on a roll,  
potato puffs, vegetable,  
pizza, peanut butter and jelly,  
rib-a-cue, bagel, soup.  
**Wednesday, November 15:**  
Spaghetti with/without meat  
sauce, vegetable, bread stick,  
pizza, turkey terrific, peanut  
butter and jelly, bagel, soup.  
**Thursday, November 16:**  
Tacos with all the fixings,  
vegetable, hot dog, pizza,  
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and jelly, bagel.  
**Friday, November 17:**  
Turkey, gravy, mashed  
potato, stuffing, vegetable,  
cranberry sauce, bread stick,  
pizza, peanut butter and jelly,  
bagel, soup.



## CHANNEL 9 TRI-TOWN PUBLIC ACCESS PROGRAMMING SCHEDULE

*Please note this schedule may be subject to change.  
For an updated program listing, please visit [www.orctv.org](http://www.orctv.org).*

### Thursday, November 9, 2006

3:00 PM Army Newswatch  
3:30 PM Conn Jackson Show  
4:00 PM Security in Knowledge  
4:15 PM About Public Access TV  
4:30 PM F.A.S.T.- Stroke Information  
from Mattapoissett Police  
4:36 PM Tour of a Windplant  
5:00 PM Student Voices- Teen Suicide  
6:00 PM Around the Town with  
ORCTV  
6:30 PM ORR School Committee  
Meeting  
7:30 PM Life Under a Wind Turbine  
8:00 PM Dartmouth Childhood  
Education  
9:00 PM Penny Dreadful Shilling  
Shocker

### Friday, November 10, 2006

4:00 PM Neighbor to Neighbor with  
Don Cuddy  
5:00 PM The Doctor is In  
5:30 PM Swept Away TV  
6:30 PM PACE Monthly  
7:00 PM Public Domain Movie  
8:00 PM Tap Into Prevention

9:00 PM Friday Night ORR Football

### Saturday, November 11, 2006

7-10:30 AM Cartoon Saturday  
10:30 AM Ovarian Cancer Awareness  
11:00 AM Around BCC  
11:30 AM Animation Theater  
12:00 PM Jazz with ORR Jazz Band  
1:00 PM ORR Film Makers  
2:00 PM DMC Presents: Family and  
Children PT1  
3:00 PM DMC Presents: Family and  
Children PT2  
5:30 PM Love Is Not Enough PT1-  
Dartmouth Medical  
6:30 PM Love Is Not Enough PT 2  
- Dartmouth Medical  
7:30 PM Swept Away TV  
8:00 PM About Public Access TV  
8:15 PM NAMI  
9:00 PM Penny Dreadful Shilling  
Shocker  
10:30 PM Security in Knowledge  
11:00 PM Electronic Theater

### Sunday, November 12, 2006

9:00 AM Catch a Vision  
9:30 AM Catch a Vision-SkyDiving  
9:45 AM PEG Video  
10:00 AM Music and The Spoken  
Word  
10:30 AM Conn Jackson Show  
11:00 AM Ovarian Cancer Awareness  
11:30 AM Around Bristol Community  
College  
12:00 PM Sunday Jazz Brunch with  
ORR Jazz Band  
1:00 PM Christian Motorcycle Fair  
1:30 PM Breathing Freely  
2:45 PM Tour of a Windplant  
3:00 PM LC Savage and Company  
3:30 PM Computer Animation Theater  
4:00 PM DMC Presents: Family and  
Children PT1  
5:00 PM DMC Presents: Family and  
Children PT2  
7:30 PM Ovarian Cancer Awareness  
8:00 PM New England Outdoor  
Living  
8:30 PM Computer Animation Theater  
9:00 PM Public Domain Movie: The  
Fast and the Furious

### Monday, November 13, 2006

3:30 PM Student Voices- Teen Suicide  
4:30 PM About Public Access TV  
4:45 PM Tour of a Windplant  
5:00 PM Ovarian Cancer Awareness  
5:30 PM Life Under a Wind Turbine  
6:00 PM Jeff Perry Report  
6:30 PM White House Chronicle  
7:00 PM Physician's Focus  
7:30 PM P.A.C.E. Monthly  
8:00 PM Capitol Perspectives with  
Senator Edward Kennedy  
8:30 PM Commonwealth Report with  
Senator Pacheco  
9:00 PM Polish Hour

### Tuesday, November 14, 2006

2:00 PM Soundings  
2:45 PM About Public Access TV  
3:00 PM Physician Focus  
4:00 PM Neighbor to Neighbor with  
Don Cuddy  
4:51 PM Tour of a Windplant  
5:00 PM Tap into Prevention  
5:30 PM Around Bristol Community  
College  
6:00 PM MassTalk

6:30 PM Rochester Selectmen  
Meeting  
7:30 PM Inside the ORR with Super-  
intendent Bill Cooper  
8:00 PM Around the Town with  
ORCTV  
8:30 PM Security In Knowledge  
8:45 PM About Public Access TV  
9:00 PM ORR Jazz Band

### Wednesday, November 15, 2006

4:00 PM Breathing Freely  
5:30 PM Introduction to Tai Chi  
6:00 PM Army Newswatch  
6:30 PM Inside the ORR with Dr.  
Bill Cooper  
7:00 PM The Doctor Is In  
8:30 PM New England Outdoor  
Living

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Special Donation Days will take place on Friday, November 10 at Old Rochester Regional High School during the football game against Wareham High; and a "Cans Across the Track" will take place on Saturday November 11 at the Wareham Boys and Girls Club from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. The Wareham Boys and Girls Club is located at 54 Viking Drive in Wareham. For more information, please call Rasheem Manson at 508-295-5400.

### South Coast Community Church

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# TRI-TOWN POLICE LOGS



## MARION

*The following log highlights are for the week of October 29 through November 4, 2006:*

- Wings Cove – assist other agency
- Delano Road – power line down
- Mill Street – general offense
- Wareham Road – shoplifting/in progress
- Route 195 East – assist other police department/mutual aid
- Mill Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- County Road – brush/grass fire
- Wareham Road – noise complaint
- Mill Street – suspicious activity
- Park Street – animal complaint
- East Avenue – motor vehicle accident/personal injury
- Point Road – animal complaint
- Wareham Road – assist other police department/mutual aid
- Piney Point Road – suspicious activity
- Oak Street – family disturbance
- Wareham Road – motor vehicle complaint
- Front Street – annoying phone calls
- Register Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- County Road – animal complaint
- Converse Road – by-laws violation
- Allen's Point Road – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Park Street – motor vehicle complaint
- Front Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Indian Cove Road – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Wells Road – motor vehicle accident/property damage
- Washburn Park Road – animal complaint
- Mill Street – assist other municipal agency.

## MATTAPOISETT

*The following log highlights are for the week of October 29 through November 4, 2006:*

- North Street – safety/road hazard
- Crestfield Street – animal complaint
- North Street – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Marion Road – motor vehicle accident
- County Road – civil complaint
- Route 195 East – motor vehicle accident
- Depot Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Water Street – suspicious motor vehicle
- Marion Road – motor vehicle accident
- County Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Maplewood Street – suspicious activity
- Dunkin' Donuts – suspicious person
- Marion Road – officer wanted
- Abby Lane – civil complaint
- Marion Road – trespassing
- Capeway Lounge – mutual aid/police
- Water Street – Harbormaster emergency
- Shaw Street – parking complaint
- County Road – civil complaint
- Marion Road – motor vehicle accident
- Church Street – animal control
- County Road – officer wanted
- Crystal Spring Road – officer wanted
- County Road – motor vehicle accident
- Waterview Lane – parking complaint
- Anawan Road – assist citizen
- Fairhaven Road – officer wanted
- Huttleston Avenue – assist other agency
- Fairhaven Road – burglar alarm.

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*The following log highlights are for the week of November 1 through November 7, 2006:*

- Haskell Ridge Road – vandalism/past
- Snipatuit Road – traffic hazard
- Walnut Plain Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Snipatuit Road – traffic hazard
- Marion Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- County Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Springwood Drive – fire alarm
- Walnut Plain Road – fire
- Mary's Pond Road – larceny/forgery/fraud
- Mary's Pond Road – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Walnut Plain Road – fire
- North Avenue – animal control
- Sarah Sherman Road – officer wanted
- Noble Road – juvenile offenses
- New Bedford Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- High Street – erratic operation of motor vehicle
- Dexter Lane – civil complaint
- North Avenue – suspicious activity
- Ryder Road – domestic disturbance
- Vaughan Hill Road – suspicious motor vehicle
- Snipatuit Road – firearms violation
- New Bedford Road – assist citizen
- Walnut Plain Road – animal complaint
- Dexter Lane – civil complaint
- North Avenue – animal complaint.



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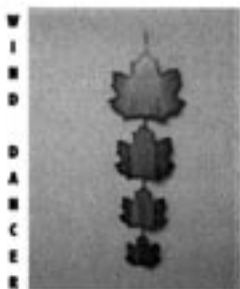
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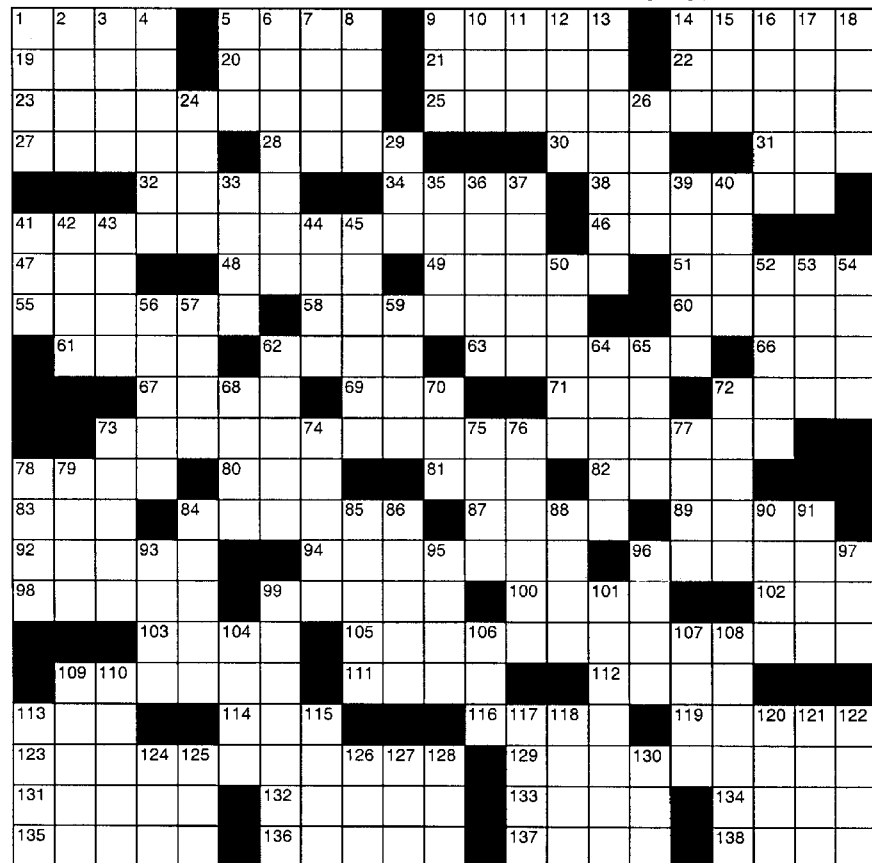
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## PERFORMANCE REVIEW

## SALOME'S STARS

### ACROSS

- 1 Sarah — Jewett  
5 Melville monomaniac  
9 Michelangelo subject  
14 Mecca men  
19 "The Seventh —" ('56 film)  
20 Fount  
21 — acid  
22 Craze  
23 WORK IS FIRST PRIORITY  
25 DELEGATES WELL  
27 Plant pest  
28 Pianist Lupo  
30 Anderson's "High —"  
31 "I told you so!"  
32 Alaskan port  
34 Wine valley  
38 "Blue —" ('63 hit)  
41 NEEDS LITTLE DIRECTION  
46 Opposite of aweather  
47 London lavatory  
48 Anglo-Saxon laborer  
49 Jabber away  
51 Catherine of "7th Heaven"
- 55 Most fashionable  
58 Produces a cryptogram  
60 Islamic deity  
61 Swiss sharp-shooter  
62 — War (racehorse)  
63 Crossworder's need  
66 Tempest — teapot  
67 Bull or boar  
69 Author Umberto  
71 — Nidre  
72 Once again  
73 GOOD COMMUNICATION SKILLS  
78 Oktoberfest offering  
80 Past  
81 Cologne cry  
82 Snaky swimmers  
83 Blunder  
84 Ritter or Houston  
87 Olympic hawk  
89 Kansas city  
92 Colorado or Connecticut  
94 Dickens character  
96 Dennis, for one  
98 Barnyard birds  
99 Burn a bit  
100 Actress Virna
- 102 Advanced deg.  
103 Tolstoy's "— Karenina"  
105 HAS LEADER-SHIP QUALITIES  
109 Pull on a rope  
111 Tend the sauce  
112 Actress Perlman  
113 — the season . . .  
114 — glance  
116 Singer Laine  
119 Fester or Sam  
123 CAREER-MINDED  
129 AGGRESSIVE  
131 Shakespear-ean sprite  
132 Surround a Seurat  
133 Mythical vessel  
134 Give off  
135 — Night in Georgia" ('70 hit)  
136 De Valera of Ireland  
137 Snack  
138 One of the Kennedys
- DOWN  
1 Dept. of Labor div.  
2 Harvest  
3 Old auto
- 4 Weather factor  
5 Leather-worker's tool  
6 Legatee  
7 — Romeo  
8 Ran in the wash  
9 Pop  
10 Latin I word  
11 Compete  
12 Part of MIT  
13 "Mellow Yellow" fellow  
14 Qty.  
15 Sound from the stands  
16 Aromatic plant  
17 French psychologist  
18 Wise guy?  
24 Fragrance  
26 Hurler  
29 Sturm — Drang  
33 Encounter  
35 Flying start?  
36 Inhibited one  
37 Ed of "JFK"  
39 "The Merry Widow" composer  
40 Conceal  
41 Out of sorts  
42 Zodiac animal  
43 A bit of Bach  
44 Draft status  
45 Cheese-maker's need
- 50 Honshu metropolis  
52 Hold fast  
53 Lucci role  
54 Clarinetist  
56 Playwright Rice  
57 Eastern European  
59 Actor James  
62 Highway sign  
64 Does some cobbling  
65 Actress Sommer  
68 Rachel's sister  
70 — Locks, FL  
72 Williams of "Happy Days"  
73 Novocaine target  
74 Maestro Georg  
75 "Beat it!"  
76 Rollercoaster feeling  
77 Tennis pro Nastase  
78 "Wozzeck" composer  
79 "Clinton's Ditch"  
84 Senator Lott  
85 Some skirts  
86 Trepidation  
88 Runner Zatopek  
90 Composer Schirfin  
91 Bill of Rights grp.
- 93 Son of Isaac  
95 He's abominable  
96 Ho Chi —  
97 "Kookie" Byrnes  
99 Southwest-ern capital  
101 Lamour's wardrobe  
104 Tidy  
106 Parenthesis shape  
107 Pas de —  
108 Poet Sidney  
109 Pageant prop  
110 Computer acronym  
113 It'll give you a lift  
115 — "Ca-Dabra" ('74 song)  
117 Bank offering  
118 Spanish river  
120 Crooner Perry  
121 San — Obispo, CA  
122 Ferrara first family  
124 Berry or Olin  
125 Crafty  
126 Impact sound  
127 First name in comedy  
128 Stimp's pal  
130 Aah's partner



ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A work-related situation that started last month takes on increasing importance this week. The choice is still yours as to how it will evolve. Be careful not to make quick judgments.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) "Careful" is the watchword for the prudent Bovine this week. Don't let your emotions overwhelm your logic. Try for balance as you maneuver through a touchy situation.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Your energy levels rise to meet the challenges that will mark much of this month. New opportunities beckon. Look them over, but proceed cautiously before making any kind of decision. CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Your private life can be a problem this week, as a partner becomes more difficult. Resist a reaction you might regret. Instead of walking away, try to talk things out.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) You should be your usual sunny self these days, as you bask in the admiration you adore. Enjoy it as you move into a new arena to confront an exciting upcoming challenge.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Your perseverance reserves will be tapped frequently this week as you deal with the problems involved in making a new situation work for you. But it'll all be worth it.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) You'll find fewer roadblocks turning up as you continue to move ahead with your plans. Expect some important news to come your way by mid-November.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Good news -- you finally get to the bottom of that pesky mystery you've been trying to solve for weeks by using some gentle persuasion to get someone to break his or her silence.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) The best time to take on that important task is now. Move forward one step at a time so you can assess your progress and, if need be, change direction.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) The new opportunities you hoped to find this month are beginning to open up. Study them carefully to be sure you make the choice that's best for you.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Turn a disappointment into a learning experience. Check out possible weaknesses in your approach and strengthen them. A loyal colleague offers good advice.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Your new situation offers opportunities to help you get the skills you'll need in order to stop swimming in circles and finally move straight toward your goals. Go for it.

BORN THIS WEEK: You have a sharp, logical mind and a quick intellect. You would make an excellent mystery writer.

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Upcoming events include:

- Thursday, November 9 – Public Health Nurse 9:30 to 11:30 am; Christmas Tree Shop/Lunch leaving at 9:30 am; Handiwork Group 1:00 pm;
- Friday, November 10 – Senior Center Closed in

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<p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT</b>  <b>BOARD OF APPEALS</b>  Notice is hereby given that the Mattapoisett Board of Appeals will hold a Public Hearing on the following petitions and applications:</p> <p>Petition by Michael Edwards for Father Philip C. and Phebe Jacobs of 203 Chapman Street, Canton, MA 02021 re property located at 12 Antasawamock Road. The petitioners are seeking a Variance to construct an addition that will not meet the required setbacks. The property is further described as Plat 15A, Lot 17 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Old Hammondtown School Cafeteria on Thursday, November 16, 2006 at 6:00 PM #1066</p> <p>Application and petition of Joseph &amp; Barbara Carrier of 9 Gosnold Street, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 9 Gosnold Street. The applicants are seeking a Special Permit and Variance under Section 5.1.5.4 of the Zoning By-Law to construct a family related apartment that will exceed the 500 square feet allowed. The property is further described as Plat 16, Lot 246 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Old Hammondtown School Cafeteria Thursday, November 16, 2006 at 6:15 PM #1067</p> <p>Petition of Ladd &amp; Company Inc. of P.O. Box 803, E. Falmouth, MA 02356 re property located at Cecelia Avenue. The petitioner is seeking a Variance under Section 6.5 of the Zoning By-Law to construct a single-family dwelling that will not meet the required setbacks. The property is further described as Plat 12A, Lot 43 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Old Hammondtown School Cafeteria on Thursday, November 16, 2006 at 6:30 PM #1068</p> <p>Application of J. Breckenridge &amp; Jeane W. Eagle of P.O. Box 1134, Mattapoisett, MA 02739 re property located at 12 Atkinson Way. The applicants are seeking a Special Permit under Sections 3.1.2.2 and 3.1.2.3 of the Zoning By-Laws to demolish and reconstruct a single-family dwelling. The property is further described as Plat 8, Lot 6 on the Assessors Map. The hearing will be held in the Old Hammondtown School Cafeteria on Thursday, November 16, 2006 at 6:45 PM #1069</p> <p>Complete applications and plans as filed are available for inspection in the Office of the Town Clerk during normal office hours.  Jeffrey R. Chase, Chairperson  Jack R. McGill  Nancy O'Brien  Scott E. Pegurri  Susan Akin  11/02, 11/09</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF MARION</b>  <b>ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS</b>  <b>CASE #599</b>  The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 7:30 PM on Thursday, November 30, 2006 in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House, on the application of Robert and Eileen Zora for a Special Permit under section 7.2 of the zoning by-law, as per table 4.2 (A), to allow construction of single-family dwelling in a Limited Industrial and Water Supply Protection District. The property, located at 559 Mill Street, is further identified on Assessors' Plan 24 as Lot 11.  Robert D. Wedge, Chairman 11/09, 11/16</p> <hr/> <p>-----LEGAL</p>	<p><b>NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF ROCHESTER</b>  <b>CONSERVATION COMMISSION &amp;</b>  <b>TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE</b>  A public hearing will be held on Tuesday, November 21, 2006 at 7:00 PM in the Town Hall Conference Room regarding a Request for Determination of Applicability filed by Joseph Yates, 473 Neck Road, Rochester, MA 02770. The applicant proposes work in the Buffer Zone to a bordering vegetated wetland to Snipatuit Pond. It is proposed to upgrade the existing sewage disposal system that has the soil absorption system within 30-feet of the B.V.W. and within 60-feet of the pond edge. Work in the Buffer Zone includes the installation of a concrete pump chamber and a portion of the 2" force main. The proposed absorption system will be approximately 180-feet from the B.V.W.  The subject property is located at 473 Neck Road in Rochester and is designated as Lot # 7, on Assessors' Map # 26. The property owner of record is Joseph Yates. The applicant's representative is G.A.F. Engineering, Inc., 266 Main Street, Wareham, MA. 02571. This hearing is being held under the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Town of Rochester Wetland Protection By-Law.  Kevin Cassidy, 11/09</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF ROCHESTER</b>  <b>PLANNING BOARD</b>  Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, November 28, 2006 at 7:15 PM in the Rochester Town Hall Conference Room regarding a Special Permit for a 115-Lot Flexible Development filed by Edgewood Development Company, LLC, 3 Belcher Street, Plainville, MA 02762. The property is located between High Street and Ryder Road and depicted on a plan entitled, "Flexible Resource Development Plans of Cotuit Woods, off Ryder Road and High Street" and dated November 2, 2006, prepared by Atlantic Design Engineers, LLC, P.O. Box 1051, Sandwich, MA 02563.  The Plan and Application are on file at the Rochester Town Hall Annex (37 Marion Road) and may be reviewed during the hours of 8:30 AM until until 4:30 PM, Monday through Thursday and 8:30 AM until 12:00 Noon on Friday.  Arnold Johnson, Chairman 11/09, 11/16</p> <hr/> <p><b>LEGAL NOTICE</b>  <b>TOWN OF MARION</b>  <b>ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS</b>  <b>CASE #600</b>  The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 8:00 PM on Thursday, November 30, 2006 in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House, on the application of Will Saltonstall, on behalf of Ashok Rao and Janis Gogan, for:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. A Special Permit under section 6.1.3 of the zoning bylaws to reconstruct and expand an existing residence on a site located in the Coastal Velocity Zone; and</li> <li>2. A Special Permit under section 6.1.7 of the zoning bylaws to reconstruct and expand a structure that was destroyed by fire.</li> </ol> <p>The property, located at 17 Nokomis Road, is further identified on Assessors' Plan 19 as Lots 41 and 42.  Robert D. Wedge, Chairman 11/09, 11/16</p>	<p><b>SPORTS QUIZ</b>  By Chris Richcreek</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Who managed the Kansas City Royals to their only World Series championship?</li> <li>2. Name the three players who each have hit 400 or more home runs and collected 10 or more Gold Gloves.</li> <li>3. In 2004, the Colts' Peyton Manning set a season QB rating mark of 121.1. Who had held the record?</li> <li>4. Which men's college basketball tournament is the oldest -- the NAIA, NCAA or NIT?</li> <li>5. How many times have the Colorado Avalanche been swept in an NHL playoff series?</li> <li>6. Which NHL player scored the winning goal for Sweden when it won the Olympic hockey gold medal in 2006?</li> <li>7. Who was the last American male golfer to win the U.S. Open?</li> </ol> <p>Answers</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Dick Howser in 1985.</li> <li>2. Willie Mays, Mike Schmidt and Ken Griffey Jr.</li> <li>3. Steve Young had a 112.8 rating in 1994 for San Francisco.</li> <li>4. The NAIA began in 1937, the NIT in 1938 and the NCAA in 1939.</li> <li>5. It happened for the first time versus Anaheim in 2006.</li> <li>6. Nicklas Lidstrom.</li> <li>7. Jim Furyk in 2003.</li> </ol> <p>(c) 2006 King Features Synd., Inc.</p>

observance of Veterans Day Holiday;

- Monday, November 13 – Water Aerobics 8:00 am; SHINE Counselor 9:00 am; Garden Club 10:00 am; Fairhaven Marts 1:00 pm; Scrabble 1:00 pm; Senior Fitness 2:15 pm (\$2.50 per session);

- Tuesday, November 14 – Stop and Shop 8:30 am; Public Health Nurse 9:30 to 11:30 am; Peer Walking Group 1:00 pm; Weight Training 2:00 pm; Yoga Class 2:00 pm (\$2.50 per session);

- Wednesday, November 15 – Water Aerobics 8:00 am; Lunch with Kindergarten 12:00 noon; Bingo 1:00 pm; Senior Fitness Program 2:15 pm in the gym (\$2.50 per session); ORR High School play dress rehearsal 7:30 pm (please call the COA at 508-758-4110 to reserve a free ticket and/or van ride);

- Thursday, November 16 – Public Health Nurse 9:30 to 11:30 am; Handiwork Group 1:00 pm;

- Friday, November 17 – Shaws 8:30 am; Yoga 8:15 to 9:15 pm in the gym (\$2.50 per session); Weight Training 9:30 am; Family Caregiver Program 1:00 pm (presentation by Coastline Elderly Services).

*Coming Up: Flu Clinics are finally in: Tuesday, November 14 from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm and Friday, November 17 from 10:00 am to 6:00 pm at the Mattapoisett Congregational Church; tickets to the ORR Junior High School Thanksgiving Dinner on Sunday, November 19 are now available at the COA office.*

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**DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ★**

★ Moderate ★★ Challenging  
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### Senior Stretch

Senior Stretch has now moved back to the First Congregational Church Community Center. This exercise program is held on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9:30 am to 10:30 am. Funding for this program is made possible through the generosity of the Friends of Marion Visiting Nurses.

### Shopping

The Senior Van travels to the Stop and Shop in Wareham on Tuesday.

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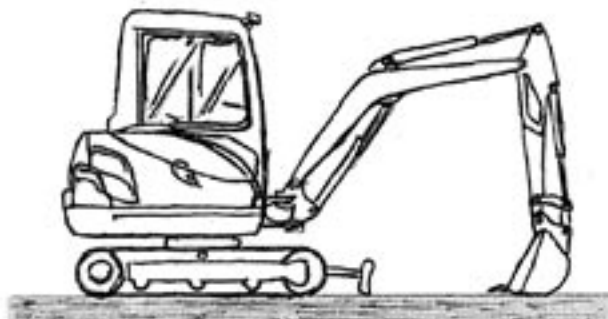
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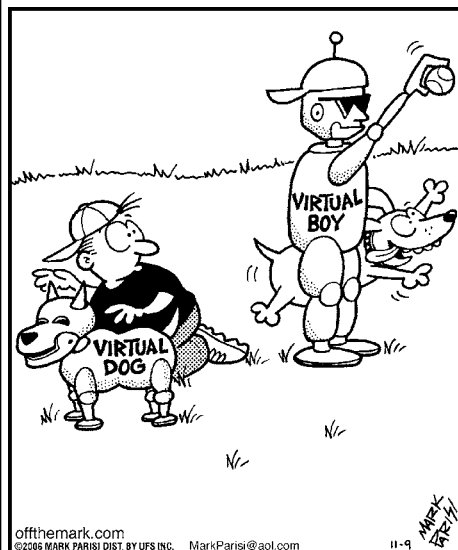
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### Mattapoisett Historical Museum

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One of the stipulations of the trust fund was that an Ecumenical Service be held in the church bi-annually. Therefore, on Sunday, November 12 at 3:00 pm, everyone is invited to come to this service — sit in the old pews, marvel at the high pulpit and sounding board, admire the chandelier, sing to the accompaniment of the old pump organ and be imbued with the spirit of those who worshipped there over the years. This service is open to all!

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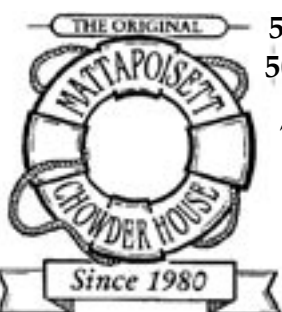
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November 9:	Thurs.	10:31	11:01	3:11	4:27
November 10:	Fri.	11:27	11:57	3:58	5:26
November 11:	Sat.	...	12:24	4:50	7:05
November 12:	Sun.	12:55	1:22	5:54	8:19
November 13:	Mon.	1:52	2:19	7:31	9:02
November 14:	Tues.	2:49	3:16	9:03	9:32
November 15:	Wed.	3:44	4:09	9:51	9:58
November 16:	Thurs.	4:33	4:54	10:31	10:28
November 17:	Fri.	5:16	5:34	11:08	11:00
November 18:	Sat.	5:54	6:10	11:46	11:35
November 19:	Sun.	6:30	6:46	...	12:25
November 20:	Mon.	7:05	7:23	12:11	1:05
November 21:	Tues.	7:42	8:02	12:47	1:45
November 22:	Wed.	8:21	8:44	1:25	2:24
November 23:	Thurs.	9:04	9:30	2:03	3:06
November 24:	Fri.	9:51	10:20	2:43	3:47
November 25:	Sat.	10:44	11:15	3:27	4:33
November 26:	Sun.	11:39	...	4:18	5:26

<b>Phases of the Moon</b>	<b>Last Quarter</b>	November 12th
	<b>New Moon</b>	November 20th
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